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SUBJECT

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To

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Reviews, with certain observations, the report on the Seasonal conditions in the State for the week ending 7.6.24

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Submitted to His Highness.

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I beg to submit herewith for His Highness' gracious perusal the Revenue Commissioner's report on the seasonal conditions in the State for the week ending 7th June 1924, together with a draft Government Order reviewing the same.

Camp Mysore,
14th June 1924.

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OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, 9th June 1924.

No. D. 26 of 23-24.

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From

K. Chandy, Esquire, B.A.,

Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

To

K.V. Anantaraman, Esquire, B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department, Bangalore.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith, in duplicate, a report on the present seasonal conditions in the State for the week ending Saturday the 7th June 1924.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Assistant Commissioner,
For Revenue Commissioner,
(Absent from station).

VRR/-

Special Weekly Season Report of the State for the week ending Saturday the 7th June 1924.

Number of villages newly affected.- The number of affected villages remained the same as in the previous week excepting 8 villages in Chiknaikanahalli Taluk which have been removed from the list, the condition in them having since improved on account of the recent rains. The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, states that in Hoskote Taluk the recent rains have benifitted the whole area and as such no village can now be said to be affected in the Taluk.

2. Number of villages inspected.- The number of affected villages and of the works inspected during the week by the Amildars and Sheikdars were as follows:-

District.	Number of villages inspected by		Number of villages not inspected for a month.	Number of works inspected by the Amildars.
	Amildars.	Sheikdars.		
Tumkur	142	454	343	23
Kolar	149	453	-	58
Bangalore	4	97	-	-
Mysore	3	9	-	-

3. Rainfall and Agricultural operations.- The rainfall recorded at several places in the affected parts of the State is contained in the appended statement. No rainfall is reported during the week in any part of the Tumkur District. There was, however, general rainfall throughout the Kolar District ranging from 25 cents to nearly 4½ inches. Some tanks in the Bagepalli and Malur Taluks are reported to have received from a fortnight's to three months' supply of water and a few small tanks in the latter taluk discharged over the kodi. General rainfall is reported in parts of Mysore District also (vide statement enclosed) and more rain is stated to be required in parts of Nagamangala taluk. The rainfall in Bangalore District on the 2nd instant

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was general and heavy in a few places. There was good rainfall in Hoskote and heavy rainfall at Devanhalli, some tanks in the latter taluk getting $\frac{3}{4}$ full of water.

Harvesting of crops.- Paddy in parts of Pavagada, Koratagere (yield 4 to 8 annas) and Hiriyur Taluk (yield 8 to 12 annas) is being harvested.

Sowing operations.- Ragi, jola, paddy, thogari, avare, black and green grams in paddy parts of Tumkur, Chikmaikanahalli, Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub Taluks. Ragi and til in parts of Hunsur, Kadale in parts of Gundlupet, jola in parts of Mandya, til and jola in parts of Hiriyur, til jola, groundnut, green gram in parts of Hiriyur and Holakkere Taluks, til in parts of Kankanhalli, Bangalore Taluks and Closepet Sub Taluk and jola, nati ragi, navane in parts of Dodballapur Taluk are being harvested. The planting of sugarcane is progressing in Magadi Taluk.

Condition of standing crops.- Sugarcane, ragi, paddy and jola in parts of Tumkur District; sugarcane, jola, thogari, ragi, avare, and cotton in parts of Mysore District and sugarcane, mulberry in Channapatna Taluk are reported to be in good condition. The ryots all over are busy in agricultural operations, ploughing and carting manure to fields.

4. Relief work and labour.- Details regarding the works in progress in the various districts are given in the following statement.-

District.	Number of works started with estimated cost.								V.I.
	Tank maintenance.				Tank restoration.				
	No.	Estimate	Outlay during the week.	Total expenditure.	No.	Estimate	Outlay during the week.	Total expenditure.	No.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Tumkur	62	55,944	(a)-	29,900	2	5,984	(a)-	1,407	38
Kolar	84	79,120	930	24,528	21	33,447	413	4,166	167
Bangalore	4	2,242	-	-	1	2,280	-	282	29
Mysore	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Chitaldrug.	3	3,173	--	-	2	2,902	-	658	1

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Village Improvement			Temporary wells.				No. of persons employed during the week.	Increase or decrease over previous week.	No. of persons required during the week.
Estimate	Outlay during the week.	Total expenditure.	No.	Estimate	Outlay during the week.	Total expenditure.			
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
4,243	-	728	67	3,760	-	230	8026	---	68036
15,198	796	7,246	761	33,242	-	13,795	1469	-694	19037
5,416	-	340	118	4,178	45	1,188	Not furnished.		
285	-	-	547	-	-	547	Not furnished.		
400	-	88	6	164	-	50	Not furnished.		

(a) The progress report of tank maintenance and tank restoration works in Kolar District is reported to have not been received from the Executive Engineer and that there was no progress made under Village Improvement and temporary wells works.

In the Kolar District, the works of temporary drinking water wells, Village Improvement and tank maintenance are well distributed over the affected parts. Besides these, the work of sinking new irrigation wells and deepening of existing ones by private agency are absorbing a large number of coolies. Some tank maintenance works in Malur and Bagepalli taluks could not be carried out as the tanks received water. Panchama and non-agricultural classes in Anekal Taluk require labour and it is hoped that the recent rains will secure employment for the people in agricultural operations. The cooly classes in other taluks of Bangalore District are finding sufficient labour locally for the present and no difficulty is felt by the people. There is therefore no necessity to start any works for the present. Labour is reported to be generally available in Mysore and Chitaldrug, Districts.

5. Prices of food stuffs.- The prices of food stuffs during the week remained stationary in all the affected Districts except Bangalore where the price of ragi ranged from 6 to 8½ seers per rupee and rice, 2nd sort, from 4 to 4½ seers per rupee. The local Co-operative Society at Viduraswatha in Goribidnur Taluk is continuing to do good work by way of selling food grains to poor people at concession rates. The returns from the various Railway Stations show that 1308 maunds (602 bags) of sugar and 823 maunds (166 bags) of tamarind were exported during the week to parts outside the State.

6. Fodder and cattle.- The Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, states that the difficulty for fodder will gradually abate on account of the recent fainfall. The fodder depot at Goribdnur sold during the week 5 tons and 1292 lbs. of paddy straw and no stock is reported to be on hand. A fodder depot was during the week opened at Bagepalli and the sales of malnad hay ~~straw~~ in this as well as other depots are, it is stated, not brisk. The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, hopes that the recent rains will improve the general condition considerably and also, lessen the difficulty for fodder.

Cattle are generally healthy in all parts of the State.

7. Supply of drinking water for men and cattle.- In Tumkur District, the difficulty for drinking water for men and cattle has lessened on account of the recent rainfall. Drinking water is available in all parts of the affected Taluks and no water difficulty is felt in any of them.

8. L o a n s.- Details regarding Takavi and Land Improvement loans are given below:-

District.	Amount of loan granted		Total.
	Up to the end of the week.	During the week.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Tumkur	1,85,741	11,061	1,96,802
Kolar	1,31,491	7,540	1,39,031
Bangalore	15,180	-	15,180
Mysore	2,223	-	2,223
Chitaldrug.	6,580	2,520	9,100

In Maddagiri Taluk a sum of Rs.280/- is stated to have been paid by the Co-operative Society as loans to weavers. The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, states that arrangements have been made to give relief to weavers in Malur and Mulbagal Taluks by way of granting loans.

9. Statement of crime and people wandering in search of labour.-

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There was no abnormal rise in crime in any part of the State.

10. Gratuitous Relief.- 411 men in Tumkur District and 89 in Kolar District were given gratuitous relief during the week, the total expenditure up to end of the week in these two Districts, being Rs.634-9-8 and Rs.657-5-3 respectively.

11. Public health.- Public health is generally good except for small pox in parts of Tumkur, Kunigal, Bagepalli, Hoskote, Kankanhalli and Hunsur Taluks; cholera in parts of Srinivasapur, Chamarajnagar, Hunsur, T. Narasipur, Malavalli, Mandya, Krishnarajpet, Kankanhalli, Anekal, Jagalur, Harihar and Davangere Taluks; and plague in parts of Krishnarajapet Taluk.

12. G e n e r a l.- During the week, the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, visited Nittur, which is one of the affected localities in the District and noticed that gratuitous relief had been stopped, as the sanctioned amount for the Taluk of Gubbi had been spent. Arrangements were made to give gratuitous relief to about 23 persons among the Panchamas who were badly in need of such help; and also to start some Village Improvement and gokatte works to afford relief to cooly classes, pending the starting of larger works. He further states that he also inspected 7 villages, 2 tanks and 3 wells in the Kunigal Taluk and that one of the wells inspected, was sunk very recently by private agency. -- The conditions as regards distress in Kolar District are reported to continue as in the previous week though the recent rains have put heart into the people. The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, states that there has been very heavy rainfall during the week in the Taluks of Srinivasapur, Chintamani and Malur; that on the whole the Mungar rains have, in spite of being somewhat late, been copious in the major portion of the District, though groups of villages here and there have not received adequate rainfall; that water scarcity has practically disappeared in the majority of the villages; and that pasture is expected to come up in a fortnight. People are reported to be more cheerful though it is

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too soon to say that we are out of the wood. The situation in the Mysore District has, it is reported, considerably improved on account of the recent rainfall. The Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District, states that the conditions in his District have slightly ~~improed~~ improved by the recent rains.

Assistant Commissioner,
For Revenue Commissioner,
(Absent from station).

VRR/-

Statement showing the rainfall in the various parts of the State during the week ending Saturday the 7th M a y 1924.

District.	Place.	Quantity. In.	Cents.
Mysore.-	Mysore	0	90
	Chamarajanagar	1	8
	Udigala	0	17
	Seringapatam	0	48
	Melkote	1	40
	French Rocks	0	24
	Hunsur	1	35
	Periapatna	2	45
	Yedatore	2	3
	Saligrama	1	22
	Bherya	1	65
	Heggadadevankote	1	84
	Nakankote	2	17
	Hampapura	1	20
	Saragur	0	70
	Gundlupet	0	79
	Begur	1	50
	Bandipur	1	15
	Nanjangud	1	36
	Hura	0	40
	T. Narasipur	1	84
	Mandya	0	40
	Basaral	3	85
	Koppa	0	50
	Lingaraja Chatra	0	40
	Maddur	0	80
	Krishnarajapet	1	34
	Chinkurli	0	48
	Kikkeri	1	1
	Nagamangala	0	79
	Honakere	0	53
Chitaldrug.-	Chitaldrug	1	41
	Chellakere	0	38
	Tallak	1	40
	Naikanhatti	0	20
	Molakalmuru	3	00
	Hiriyur	1	87
	Yeraballi	1	18
	Jagalur	0	17
	Holalkere	0	44
	Davangere	1	89
	Hoskdrug	1	80
	Harihar	0	30
Bangalore.-	Bangalore	1	39
	Yelahanka	6	50
	Hebbal	3	73
	Varthur	3	87
	Hesaraghatta	4	44
	Soldevanhalli	2	74
	Hoskote	5	71
	Kadugodi	2	90
	Sulibele	5	30
	Dodballapur	3	48
	Sasalu	1	95
	Nelamangala	0	98
	Tyamagondlu	1	76
	Dobspet	0	90
	Begur	1	50
	Nankanhalli	0	20
	Kodihalli	0	35

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Bangalore.-	Sathnur	0	60
	Magadi	2	41
	Solur	0	78
	Tavarekere	1	00
	Channapatna	0	31
	Anekal	1	31
	Attibele	4	80
	Hebbagodi	2	81
	Sarjapur	2	28
	Devanhalli	1	72
	Vadigenahalli	1	45
	Chikjala	-	
	Closepet	6	19

For Revenue Commissioner. 9/6/21

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Read—

Letter No. D 26 / 23-24 dated the 9th June 1924 from the Revenue Commr in regard submitting a report on the seasonal conditions in the Hale for the week ending 7th June 1924

Order Thereon No. 1197/D

Eight villages in the Chickanaikanahalli Taluk were removed from the list of affected tracts, the conditions in

having since improved
on account of the general monsoon rainfall
The general rainfall all
over the State has caused
the situation considerably
The ryots all over are
busy with agricultural operations,
and the cooly classes are
finding sufficient labour
locally.

(2) At the fodder depot at
Gorakhpur, about 5 tons
each 1292 lbs of paddy straw
were sold. The difficulty for
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on account of the recent
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List of enclosures.

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